

ULYSSES S. GRANT HOME

511 Bouthillier Street, Galena

In 1865 the citizens of Galena presented this prominent two-story Italianate brick house to General U. S. Grant when he returned victorious to the town he had left four years earlier. Grant lived here until he became secretary of war in 1867 and again, briefly, following the end of his presidency. The house, restored in the 1950s from original drawings and specifications, is now maintained by the state as a historic house museum.